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Government of the United States Virgin Islands

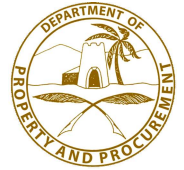
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November 23, 2021

AMENDMENT #2 RFP-003-T-2022 (P) – Manufacture and Delivery of Four (4)
Heavy Duty Transit Buses for the Department of Public Works Transportation
Division (VITRAN) in the U.S. Virgin Islands

INSERT: *Questions & Answers*

ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS REMAIN UNCHANGED.

BIDDERS MUST ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THIS AMENDMENT WITH THEIR
BID PROPOSAL.

Questions and Answers:

Question 1: Page 55, TS 5.1 Weight. Maximum Gross Axle weight rating shall be 23,000 lbs. – Requesting clarification that no single axle rating shall exceed 23,000 lbs.

Response: No single axle rating shall exceed 23,000 pounds is approved/confirmed.

Question 2: Page 55, TS 5.2 Capacity. 1.5 Square Feet of Free Floor Space per Standee. Contractor's calculations do not support sufficient space within a 32-foot overall length bus. To accommodate 46 passengers and maintain 1.5 square feet of free floor space per standee would require a longer bus. Contractor requests eliminating the 1.5 square feet spacing for standees or require a minimum of 46 passengers within the vehicles Gross Vehicle Weight Rating (GVWR).

Response: Requirement is a minimum of 46 passengers within the vehicles Gross Vehicle Weight Rating (GVWR) is approved/confirmed. Vendor must maintain the 32-foot overall length bus.

Question 3: Pages 97 through 102. Transit Bus Instruments and Alarms. Contractor requests acceptance of the instruments and alarms currently provided by the hometown manufacturing urban transit model in accordance with SAE guidelines.

Response: Contractor's request is approved to use instruments and alarms currently provided by the Hometown Manufacturing Urban Transit Model.

Question 4: Page 60 TS 6.2 Bus Width. Maximum body width shall be 96 inches. Contractor requests 99 inches.

Response: Contractor's request is approved to increase maximum body width to 99 inches.

Additional Questions and Responses Attached

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Virgin Islands Department of Public Works

Request #: 2	
Proposer:	
RFP Section: NR 2., 3. SUBMISSION OF PROPOSAL	
Page: 1	
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for an extension of the bid due date of three (3) weeks from issuance of an Addendum with approved equal and clarification responses back from GVI. This will allow adequate time for the review of all responses, to obtain quotes as needed and finalize our bid submittal.	
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Denied <input type="checkbox"/> See addendum <input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response: The Request for Proposals (RFP) due date has been extended to <u>Monday, December 20, 2021 at 4:30 p.m. Atlantic Standard Time.</u> Last day for Written Clarification is <u>Monday, November 22, 2021 at 12:00 noon Atlantic Standard Time.</u>	

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Virgin Islands Department of Public Works

Request #: 3 Proposer: RFP Section: GC 4.1 General Page: 18	
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Clarification provided that both the pre-delivery inspection and final buy-off by the GVI must be performed at the Selected Contractors manufacturing facility prior to shipment of buses.	
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Denied <input type="checkbox"/> See addendum <input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response:	

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Request #: 4		
Proposer:		
RFP Section: GC 4.2 Risk of Loss		
Page: 19		
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Since final buy-off by GVI must be performed at the Selected Contractor's manufacturing facility prior to shipment of buses, GVI shall assume risk of loss of the bus upon delivery to the port of GVI's choice where GVI takes control of the bus.		
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied <input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response:		

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Request #: 5 Proposer: RFP Section: GC9.3.1., a Excusable Delays/ Force Majeure Page: 22	
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Please add a pandemic to the list of excusable delays.	
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Denied <input type="checkbox"/> See addendum <input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response:	

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Request #: 6		
Proposer:		
RFP Section: SP 1.4 Post-Delivery Tests		
Page: 29		
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Clarification provided that both the pre-delivery inspection and final buy-off by the GVI must be performed at the Selected Contractor's manufacturing facility prior to shipment of buses.		
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied <input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response:		

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Request #: 7	
Proposer:	
RFP Section: SP 1.6.1 Repairs by Contractor	
Page: 30	
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested to change the requirement for work to begin within five (5) working days. The Selected Contractor will work with the GVI to either begin the work or provide a developed plan to begin/complete work when additional time is required to engineer a proper repair or replace a long lead time component. Clarification provided that frequent, high usage, and fast-moving parts will be stocked and readily available.	
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Denied <input type="checkbox"/> See addendum <input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response:	

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Virgin Islands Department of Public Works

Request #: 8 Proposer: RFP Section: SP 1.6.2 Repairs by the Government of the Virgin Islands (GVI) Page: 30		
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested to delete the reimbursement for vehicle recovery and towing.		
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied <input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response:		

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Request #: 9 Proposer: RFP Section: Page:		
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Clarification provided that Selected Contractor will deliver the buses to a United States east coast port (port as selected by GVI). The GVI would be responsible for coordination and payment of the ocean freight to the US Virgin Islands. In addition, GVI will be responsible for applicable taxes and fees once landed in the US Virgin Islands.		
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied <input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response:		

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Request #: 10					
Proposer:					
RFP Section: SP 2.2 Delivery Schedule					
Page: 30					
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for the following change in delivery schedule: All buses delivered within 395 days from Notice to Award and the delivery of the executed Contract documents.					
GVI action:	<table><tr><td><input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved</td><td><input type="checkbox"/> Denied</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> See addendum</td><td><input type="checkbox"/> See response below</td></tr></table>	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied	<input type="checkbox"/> See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> See response below
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GVI response:					

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Request #: 11				
Proposer:				
RFP Section: SP 2.3 Contract Deliverables				
Page: 32				
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for the video requirement to be deleted and allow for a professionally prepared mechanics "Bus Orientation" PowerPoint presentation. The cost of having a professionally prepared mechanics video made would be cost prohibitive. In addition, a video would not be specific to your vehicles and would become obsolete as any upgrades in product are implemented or changes in your vehicle configuration are made.				
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/>	Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/>	See response below
GVI response: APPROVED				

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Request #: 12	
Proposer:	
RFP Section: SP 2.3 Contract Deliverables, 23, 24, 25, 27 Draft Manuals	
Page: 33	
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Clarification provided that “sample” manuals can be provided for GVI’s review and approval. Our company supplies “as-built” manuals and as such can’t supply them until 30 days after delivery.	
GVI action:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Denied <input type="checkbox"/> See addendum <input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response:	

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Request #: 13 Proposer: RFP Section: SP 2.3 Contract Deliverables 19, 20, 21, 28 Final Manuals Page: 32 & 33		
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for the final manuals to be provided within 30 days of delivery.		
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied <input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response:		

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Request #: 14 Proposer: RFP Section: SP 2.3 Contract Deliverables 29. Page: 33	
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for the parts list and part number index to be provided within 30 days of delivery. This will allow adequate generation time.	
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Denied <input type="checkbox"/> See addendum <input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response: 	

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Request #: 15 Proposer: RFP Section: SP 2.3 Contract Deliverables 38l Page: 34	
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested to delete this requirement and the requirement for Docket 90 as mentioned throughout your specification. Clarification provided that Docket 90 is a FTA recommended Fire Safety practice only not a regulation. XHF is fully compliant with all the applicable Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards (FMVSS), including FMVSS 302, which is the current industry standard. Please delete the certificate requirement and Docket 90 compliance throughout the specification.	
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> See addendum <input type="checkbox"/> Denied <input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response: 	

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Request #: 16									
Proposer:									
RFP Section: SP 2.3 Contract Deliverables, 41									
Page: 34									
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for the interior security camera layout to be decided during pre-production meetings with final acceptance upon completion of the First Article bus since no Pilot Bus appears to be required.									
GVI action:	<table><tr><td><input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/></td><td>Approved</td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td>Denied</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td>See addendum</td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td>See response below</td></tr></table>	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/>	Denied	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/>	See response below
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GVI response:									

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Request #: 17		
Proposer:		
RFP Section: SP 2.3 Contract Deliverables, 48		
Page: 35		
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested to delete this requirement since we will be proposing an Allison B400R transmission with integral retarder in lieu of an engine braking system.		
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied <input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response:		

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Request #: 18									
Proposer:									
RFP Section: SP 3 Options & Option Pricing									
Page: 36									
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for the cost of any required Federal or State regulatory changes, (i.e., engine emission changes, etc.) that occur during the contract period be passed through to GVI at the bus manufacturer’s cost in addition to the PPI that is allowed. This is standard FTA contracting language.									
GVI action:	<table><tr><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td><td>Approved</td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td>Denied</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td>See addendum</td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td>See response below</td></tr></table>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/>	Denied	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/>	See response below
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GVI response:									

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Request #: 19

Proposer:

RFP Section: SP 5.1 Payment Terms; Progress Payments with Retention

Page: 37

Questions/clarification or approved equal:]

Approval requested for the following language to replace items 1 – 7 in this section.

1. The GVI shall make payments for buses at 25% of the unit price for each bus itemized in the price schedule upon commencement of Body Weld and within 30 calendar days of receipt of a proper invoice.

2. The GVI shall make payments for buses at 25% of the unit price for each bus itemized in the price schedule upon completion of engine installation and within 30 calendar days of receipt of a proper invoice.

continued below

GVI action:

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Approved

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Denied

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See addendum

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See response below

GVI response:

3. The GVI shall make payments for buses at 25% of the unit price for each bus itemized in the price schedule once the bus is drivable and within 30 calendar days of receipt of a proper invoice.

4. The GVI shall make final payments for buses at 25% of the unit price for each bus itemized in the price schedule upon verification by the GVI's representative and/or inspector that said bus(es) have been bought off and are ready for shipment to the agreed upon east coast port and within 30 calendar days of receipt of a proper invoice.

Further note that final vehicle payment must be received prior to shipping the buses from the factory.

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Request #: 20	
Proposer:	
RFP Section: SP 5.3 Payment of Taxes	
Page: 38	
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Clarification provided that Selected Contractor will not be accruing, nor will we be providing a cost line item for sales tax. It is our understanding that sales tax pricing is not applicable or required based on the following: 1. GVI to take control of the buses at a US east coast port where they then become responsible for coordination and payment of the ocean freight to the US Virgin Islands. In addition, GVI will be responsible for applicable taxes and fees once landed in the US Virgin Islands. 2. According to the USVI's website there are no sales taxes in the USVI. However, excise taxes and customs duties may apply. 3. According to the published tax regulations, excise tax is exempt for motor vehicles requiring licensing for highway use.	
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Denied <input type="checkbox"/> See addendum <input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response: 	

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Request #: 21 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 5.2 Capacity Page: 55		
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for a bus that carries forty-two (42) passengers, seated and standees.		
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied <input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response:		

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Request #: 22 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 5.8 Noise Page: 57					
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested to delete this requirement since we will be proposing an Allison B400R transmission with integral retarder in lieu of an engine braking system.					
GVI action:	<table><tr><td><input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved</td><td><input type="checkbox"/> Denied</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> See addendum</td><td><input type="checkbox"/> See response below</td></tr></table>	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied	<input type="checkbox"/> See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> See response below
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GVI response:					

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Request #: 23 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 6.4 Step Height Page: 60		
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for a step riser height that is 10.5 inches.		
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied <input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response:		

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Request #: 24 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 6.6 Ramp Clearances Page: 60	
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for an approach and departure angle that is a minimum of nine degrees (9°).	
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> See addendum <input type="checkbox"/> Denied <input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response:	

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Request #: 25 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 7.2 Gradability Page: 62		
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for a vehicle that achieves 17.6 mph in lieu of the requested 20 mph on a 10% grade and 8 mph in lieu of the requested 15 mph on a 24% grade based on the Allison SCAAN. In addition, the SCAAN does not provide details in regard to the acceleration 0 to 10 mph on a 24% grade therefore since the data is not available we request the deletion of this requirement.		
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied <input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response:		

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Request #: 26				
Proposer:				
RFP Section: TS 9 Engine				
Page:				
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for an engine that utilizes ultra-low sulfur diesel fuel (ULSDF).				
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/>	Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/>	See response below
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Request #: 27 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 9 Engine & TS 12 Retarder Page: 65 & 67			
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for an electronically controlled B400R which is the approved transmission for the Cummins ISL diesel engine. The transmission is a five speed, pushbutton automatic transmission with an integral output hydraulic brake retarder. The transmission has a duty cycle rating of 45,000 lbs. GVWR. The retarder capacity is 925 ft lb rating. This is a critical design element, which cannot be modified.			
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response:			

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Request #: 28 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 13.1 Service Page: 68				
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for a non-hinged positive lock type radiator filler cap mounted on the surge tank which is integral with the engine coolant recovery tank system that utilizes a screw-on cap for checking the engine coolant level. Please note that the proposed engine coolant recovery system meets Cummins recommended design for EPA 2017 and beyond.				
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/>	Denied
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GVI response:				

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Request #: 29 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 14.1 Fluid Lines Page: 69			
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested to supply standard non-stainless steel braided engine compartment lines. The only exception will be the air compressor discharge line which will remain braided stainless steel covered.			
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response:			

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Request #: 30 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 17.2.1 Design and Construction, Diesel Page: 71				
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested to delete the fast-fueling system as specified. A standard diesel fuel fill will be provided that does not provide an audible signal. This is a critical design element as the fuel tank does not allow for a fast fill system.				
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/>	Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/>	See response below
GVI response:				

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Request #: 31 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 19.1 Design Page: 72				
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for our standard Grade C, high-strength carbon steel body structure with multi-layer corrosion protection package. Stepwells, wheelwells and engine bulkhead will be constructed of stainless steel.				
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/>	Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/>	See response below
GVI response:				

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Virgin Islands Department of Public Works

Request #: 33 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 30.3.4 Kneeling Page: 79			
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for a vehicle that only kneels at the front entrance.			
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response:			

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Virgin Islands Department of Public Works

Request #: 34				
Proposer:				
RFP Section: TS 31 Wheels and Tires				
Page:				
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Clarification requested on whether a spare tire and spare aluminum wheel are to be provided and shipped loose with each bus. Your response will allow for proper costing.				
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/>	Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/>	See response below
GVI response: Yes please provide the spare tire and spare aluminum shipped loose.				

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Virgin Islands Department of Public Works

Request #: 35				
Proposer:				
RFP Section: TS32.2.4 Steering Wheel Telescopic Adjustment				
Page: 82				
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for a steering wheel where the maximum telescopic adjustment is 2.5 inches on all angles of slope. This is a critical supplier issue, which cannot be modified.				
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/>	Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/>	See response below
GVI response:				

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Virgin Islands Department of Public Works

Request #: 36 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 35.2 Actuation Page: 83				
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested to delete this requirement since we will be proposing an Allison B400R transmission with integral retarder in lieu of an engine braking system. Please note that ABS will be provided and overrides the retarder.				
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/>	Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/>	See response below
GVI response:				

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Virgin Islands Department of Public Works

Request #: 37				
Proposer:				
RFP Section: TS 40.1.2 Battery Cables				
Page: 88				
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for the battery terminals and cable shall be color-coded with brown for primary positive, black for negative and red for intermediate voltage cables.				
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/>	Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/>	See response below
GVI response:				

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Virgin Islands Department of Public Works

Request #: 38				
Proposer:				
RFP Section: TS 40.1.4 Battery Compartment				
Page: 90				
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested to provide a battery hold-down bracket which is a stainless-steel strap covered with black electrical harness shrink wrap.				
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/>	Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/>	See response below
GVI response:				

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Virgin Islands Department of Public Works

Request #: 39				
Proposer:				
RFP Section: TS 40.3 Low Voltage/Low Current Wiring and Terminals				
Page: 92				
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Clarification provided that if splices are required, they shall be sonically welded splices.				
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/>	Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/>	See response below
GVI response:				

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Virgin Islands Department of Public Works

Request #: 40 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 44.5 Normal Bus Operation Instrumentation and Controls Page: 98			
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Clarification provided that the listing of Transit Bus Instruments and Alarms is a composite listing of all possible alarms. For example, a fire suppression button with protective cover would only be provided if that specific option were selected by the end user. As such, not every device listed will be provided on the baseline bus.			
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied
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GVI response:			

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Virgin Islands Department of Public Works

Request #: 41 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 44.5 Table 5 Page: 98									
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval for the HVAC indicator to be part of the HVAC control unit and located in the driver's overhead.									
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GVI response:									

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Virgin Islands Department of Public Works

Request #: 42 Proposer:) RFP Section: TS 44.5 Table 5 Page: 98					
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for a 3-position toggle switch – high/off/low – for the driver's ventilation in lieu of a rotary switch.					
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GVI response:					

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Virgin Islands Department of Public Works

Request #: 43 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 44.5 Table 5 Page: 98			
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval of a 3-position toggle switch with High/Off/Low for the defroster fan.			
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response:			

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Virgin Islands Department of Public Works

Request #: 44 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 44.5 Table 5 Page: 98					
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for the windshield washer to be integrated into the windshield wiper switch in lieu of a push button.					
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GVI response:					

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Request #: 45 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 44.5 Table 5 Page: 99					
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested to delete these lines in their entirety since a ramp will not be provided on this standard floor bus.					
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GVI response:					

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Request #: 46 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 44.5 Table 5 Page: 99			
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for the use of a red hooded, two position toggle switch which operates the kneeling function of the bus. This simple design automatically lowers the bus in the down position and raises the bus when flipped to the up position.			
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response:			

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Virgin Islands Department of Public Works

Request #: 47 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 44.5 Table 5 Page: 99			
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested to delete these lines in their entirety since a ramp will not be provided on this standard floor bus and rear kneeling is not an option for this vehicle.			
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response:			

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Request #: 48 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 44.5 Table 5 Page: 100									
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested to delete this line item, remote engine speed, in its entirety.									
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GVI response:									

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Virgin Islands Department of Public Works

Request #: 49 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 44.5 Table 5 Page: 100				
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Clarification provided that our company can provide an integral retarder with the Allison B400 transmission.				
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/>	Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/>	See response below
GVI response:				

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Virgin Islands Department of Public Works

Request #: 50 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 44.5 Table 5 Page: 101			
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Please revise the auxiliary power device as a 12-volt power receptacle, and not a 110-volt power receptacle as listed.			
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response:			

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Virgin Islands Department of Public Works

Request #: 51 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 46.2 Windshield Washers Page: 104									
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for our standard 2.5-gallon windshield washer system reservoir. This is the largest reservoir that will fit in our dash. This is a critical design element that cannot be modified.									
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<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/>	See response below						
GVI response:									

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Request #: 52 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 51.3 Configuration Page: 109					
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Clarification requested on whether window configuration should be solid glass as on your last build or upper tip-in transom as specified in the procurement document.					
GVI action:	<table><tr><td><input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved</td><td><input type="checkbox"/> Denied</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> See addendum</td><td><input type="checkbox"/> See response below</td></tr></table>	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied	<input type="checkbox"/> See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> See response below
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<input type="checkbox"/> See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> See response below				
GVI response: Solid glass as on the last build.					

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Virgin Islands Department of Public Works

Request #: 53			
Proposer:			
RFP Section: TS 52 Heating, Ventilating and Air Conditioning			
Page: 110			
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Clarification requested on whether a heating system is required for the roof mounted HVAC as well as the driver's dash unit. Please confirm that no heating system or heater lines will be required on the bus.			
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response: No heating system required.			

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Virgin Islands Department of Public Works

Request #: Proposer: RFP Section: TS 53. Capacity and Performance Page: 111			
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Clarification requested on whether a hot engine coolant water booster pump is required. Please confirm that no heating system booster pump will be required on the bus.			
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response: Confirmed no heating system booster pump required.			

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Request #: 55 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 56. Roof Ventilators Page: 113				
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for a vehicle with one (1) ventilator in lieu of two (2). The second ventilator is not possible due to other roof mounted items and the location of the return air. This is consistent with your last build.				
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/>	Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/>	See response below
GVI response:				

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Request #: 56 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 69.1 Appearance Page: 117					
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for the AkzoNobel Sikkens paint system. Akzo Nobel's personnel conduct monthly audits of operations and processes as well as periodic re-certification. Please reference attached brochure.					
GVI action:	<table><tr><td><input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved</td><td><input type="checkbox"/> Denied</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> See addendum</td><td><input type="checkbox"/> See response below</td></tr></table>	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied	<input type="checkbox"/> See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> See response below
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GVI response:					

LV650 Basecoat/Topcoat



Features

- One system for all your needs
- HAPS Compliant
- Thousands of colors available
- More robust system
- High solids

Benefits

- Product assortment reduction, less inventory
- Meets all current environmental regulations
- More OE and Fleet color capabilities including metallics and pearls
- Superior sag resistance and improved results in hot and humid conditions
- Better coverage with only a cross coat application results in increased productivity

Autocoat® BT LV650 is latest innovation for the commercial market. The product, a multi-generational upgrade to the popular Autocoat LV, utilizes the same set of toners for both base clear and single stage systems. This capability was added in an effort to help businesses better manage their inventory. It also provides maximum application flexibility. LV650 was specifically designed to be used in either OE or repair markets. In either situation it enables commercial businesses to minimize inventory by providing one system for all application needs.

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Request #: 57 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 71. Exterior Lighting Page: 119			
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Clarification requested on whether a center mount brake lamp is required as provided on your las build. Please confirm that a center mount brake lamp will be required.			
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response: Confirm a center mount brake lamp is required.			

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Request #: 58 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 71.5 Brake Lights Page: 119			
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Clarification requested on whether a center mount brake lamp is required as provided on your las build. Please confirm that a center mount brake lamp will be required.			
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response: Confirm a center mount brake lamp is required.			

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Request #: 59 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 72. General Requirements Page: 120			
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested to supply .10" thick transit grade melamine sidewalls and ceiling material. This material is graffiti resistant and will not require painting throughout its life. GVI may select either off-white or light gray melamine colors. This is a critical design element, which cannot be modified.			
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response: Can we pick the color at the Pre Production meeting ?			

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Request #: 60 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 73.8 Floor Covering Page: 122		
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Clarification requested on whether Altro Meta Storm is required as provided on your last build. Please confirm that Altro flooring will be required		
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied <input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response: Altro flooring required.		

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Request #: 61									
Proposer:									
RFP Section: TS 74. Fare Collection									
Page: 124									
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Clarification requested on whether Selected Contractor will be responsible for the purchase and/or installation of the farebox as on past builds. Please note the GFI Cents-A-Bill farebox has been discontinued. If the Selected Contractor is responsible for purchase of the farebox please provide the brand/model so that appropriate pricing can be provided.									
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GVI response: GENFARE FAREBOX, FAST FARE (MAG) D28700-0001									

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Request #: 62 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 78.2 Door Glazing Page: 133			
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested to provide .25" thick tempered safety glass of the same color as supplied in the front door panels. This allows door glass to be interchanged from front to rear doors, which in turn saves on inventory costs.			
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response:			

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Request #: 63			
Proposer:			
RFP Section: TS 78.6 Actuators & TS 78.11 Door Open/Close			
Page: 135 & 136			
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Clarification requested on whether GVI will require rear door mounted touch-bars or not as they were not provided on your last build. Please clarify so adequate pricing can be provided.			
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response: Rear door mounted touch-bars are required.			

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Request #: 64 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 83.1 Camera Surveillance System Page: 140			
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Clarification requested if GVI requires the same system as on your last build: REI (4) Camera Surveillance System; REI Back-up Camera and monitor and Video Event Data Record Button and pre-wiring. Please confirm so adequate pricing can be provided.			
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> See response below
GVI response: Larger hard drive storage required.			

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Request #: 65 Proposer: RFP Section: TS 83.4 Radio Handset/Headset and Control System Page: 142					
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for one of the following options: 1. Contractor supply pre-wiring only for the two-way radio system and GVI purchase, supply and install the two-way radio system from a local supplier, under contract with GVI. – OR -- 2. Contractor provide a Tait TM-8200 Series (or most current model) two-radio system with cabling and antenna as per your last build. Please choose either Option 1 or Option 2 so adequate pricing can be provided.					
GVI action:	<table border="0"><tr><td><input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved</td><td><input type="checkbox"/> Denied</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> See addendum</td><td><input type="checkbox"/> See response below</td></tr></table>	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied	<input type="checkbox"/> See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> See response below
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GVI response: 					

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Request #: 66				
Proposer:				
RFP Section: Attachment 3, Item 14. Handheld radio and charger for supervision as				
Page: 148 described in Section "Radio"				
Questions/clarification or approved equal:]				
Approval requested to delete this item as it is not included in Section "Radio".				
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/>	Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/>	See response below
GVI response:				

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Request #: 67				
Proposer:				
RFP Section: WR 1.1.2 Complete Bus				
Page: 152				
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for our standard complete bus warranty of two years or 50,000 miles whichever comes first.				
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/>	Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/>	See response below
GVI response:				

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Request #: 69									
Proposer:									
RFP Section: WR 1.1.6 Subsystems									
Page: 153									
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for our standard warranty of two (2) years or 50,000 miles whichever comes first on the “other subsystems” as listed in Section 7, WR 1.1.6 Subsystems.									
GVI action:	<table><tr><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td><td>Approved</td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td>Denied</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td>See addendum</td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td>See response below</td></tr></table>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/>	Denied	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/>	See response below
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GVI response:									

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Request #: 70				
Proposer: WR 1.3.1 Pass-Through Warranty				
RFP Section:				
Page: 154				
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] Approval requested for a waiver to delegate warranty claims responsibility for the following component suppliers as these suppliers only allow for warranty claims to be submitted directly to their respective authorized dealer/distributor in the Virgin Island area: 1. Cummins Engine 2. Allison Transmission 3. Thermo King HVAC 4. Arvin Meritor Axles				
GVI action:	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Approved	<input type="checkbox"/>	Denied
	<input type="checkbox"/>	See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/>	See response below
GVI response: 				

Please note that Selected Contractor will work with GVI to resolve any warranty matters when local vendors are unable or unwilling to provide necessary support. Selected Contractor will be responsible for all warranty restitution on the balance of the bus.

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Request #: 72					
Proposer:					
RFP Section: Several Sections					
Page: None					
Questions/clarification or approved equal:] In review of the specification against GVI's prior build, clarification is requested whether the following items are required by GVI so adequate pricing can be developed: <ul style="list-style-type: none">o Install a 100DB Beeper behind the dasho Hubodometer on passenger door side rear axleo Route Match interface pre-wire – power & ground connections; speaker & microphone connections, PA switcheso Clear 3/8" Lexan upper windscreens at doorso Cover open tubes at front skid plateo 10" to 12" scuff panel on front wheel housings					
GVI action:	<table border="0"><tr><td><input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved</td><td><input type="checkbox"/> Denied</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> See addendum</td><td><input type="checkbox"/> See response below</td></tr></table>	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied	<input type="checkbox"/> See addendum	<input type="checkbox"/> See response below
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GVI response:					